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111 Clay street, Front st., Portland
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Portland, November 6, 1864. dtf

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Office on Front street, East side, corner of Alder, Portland.
Practices in the Courts of Oregon and Washington Territories and United States District Court for Oregon. Correspondence at San Francisco and East of the Rocky Mountains. Has facilities for COLLECTIONS, which will receive prompt attention.
NEGOTIATE LOANS secured on unincumbered Real Estate to their advantage to consult me before closing. Abstracts of Titles to Real Estate, Mortgages and Liens kept up with County Records.
Deeds, Mortgages and instructions given for persons taking claims under the Pre-emption and Into Homestead act. no12dawtf

P. C. DART,
COMMISSION AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,
129 Front Street,
SAN FRANCISCO.
REFERS TO
Messrs. Ladd & Tilton; Henry Failing, Esq.; Hon. Wm. C. Ralston, Esq., Cashier Bank of California; Harry Carlton, Jr.
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PORTLAND, OREGON. dtf

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WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,
No. 125 FRONT STREET,
Between Clay and Commercial,
SAN FRANCISCO.
ORDERS SOLICITED.
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REMOVED.
PETER'S ICE-CREAM SALOON
HAS REMOVED TO
No. 105 First Street, (bet. Alder and Morrison),
Where the undersigned, who have formed a partnership, will keep and manufacture all kinds of
CONFECTIONERY, CANDIES, ETC.,
For sale at Wholesale and Retail.
Ice Cream at the shortest notice, with all kinds of Cakes, etc., at the lowest prices.
FISCHER & KAISER.

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THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS TO THE PUBLIC his services together with his original and selected designs in MECHANICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL DRAWING. He is constantly receiving additions to his extensive Library of the latest and most approved Architectural works published in France and England. Together, with the above, he has made a collection of the most beautiful and choice designs ever built in the United States, a specimen of which may be seen in Parish Plans and Specifications.
PLANS FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS,
Private Residences to the latest, cheapest, and most approved style, may be had at his Office, 125 Front street, (Over Nicolai Block). Charges per diem. JNO. NESTOR.
Having devoted years of my time and attention to Surveying, and traveling through all portions of the United States and Canada, I can safely guarantee entire satisfaction to all entrusting their surveying to me. J. N.
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NOTICE
THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS OPPORTUNITY to thank the public for their patronage of the OREGON SALOON, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same. He will keep constantly on hand
THE VERY BEST OF WINES AND LIQUORS
which he will dispense to his patrons with the same will to please.
THOMAS EXCHANGE!
Everything necessary to make this THE FIRST SALOON OF THE CITY will be at hand.
THOS HARRIS.
Portland, Feb. 17th, 1865. feb24dtf

Furs! Furs!
THE HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID IN CASH FOR
Beaver, Otter, Mink and Coon Skins.
By RICHARDS & McCRAKEN
Sept. 28, 1865. d3m

THE PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
CAPITAL, $750,000, GOLD COIN.
HAVING MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO CONTINUE with the Insurance of the State of Oregon, is enabled to dispose of $50,000, against perils by fire on favorable terms. Insurers of merchandise on change, by fire, to patronize the HOME INSTITUTION.

DIRECTORS,
SAN FRANCISCO
Louis McLane, John Wightman, James D. Fennessy,
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J. Whitney Jr., S. C. Hendley, F. W. Brooks,
Edward Martin, Edward Lyon,
Charles Mayo,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
Capt. J. C. AINSWORTH, W. S. LADD (Ladd & Tilton)
LADD & TILTON,
General Agents for Oregon and Washington Territory.
Dec 26, 1864. dtf

UNION
Insurance Company
OF SAN FRANCISCO,
Nos. 416 and 418 CALIFORNIA ST.
STOCKHOLDERS INDIVIDUALLY LIABLE
CASH CAPITAL, $750,000.
DEPOSITED IN OREGON, $50,000.
Losses Promptly and Equitably Adjusted and Paid in Gold Coin.
THIS COMPANY having complied with the laws of Oregon, by making a deposit of fifty thousand dollars as security against loss or damage by FIRE, Brick, Iron, and Frame Buildings, Merchandise Furniture and other Insurable Property in all parts of this State.

DIRECTORS
J. Mora Moss, C. Christensen, J. Burkhalter,
James Otis, Joseph Seller, M. D. Savory,
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Jos. A. Donohoe, C. Pemple Remmel, Gustave Touchard
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Moses Heller, Jas. B. Huggin, N. O. Kittle,
Lafayette Maynard, Thomas R. Selby, Wm. O. Talbot,
Charles L. Low, Nicholas Luning, Patrick McAvoy,
Jacob Schodde, John Parrott, Geo. C. Johnson,
Caleb T. Fay.
B. F. Hastings—Sacramento.
L. Cunningham, William Smith—Marysville.
CALEB T. FAY, President.
CHARLES D. HAVEN, Secretary.
W. J. VAN SCHUYVER,
Agent for Oregon,
Office No. 25 Front Street, Portland,
Portland, November, 15, 1865. dtf

GERMANIA
LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,
99 BROADWAY, NEW YORK
GENERAL AGENCY OFFICE,
No. 619 Montgomery St., San Francisco.
BERNARD GATTEL, General Agent.
Capital - - $540,000
BOARD OF REFERENCE FOR CALIFORNIA:
WM. RALSTON, of Bank of California.
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C. H. LEWIS, of Allen & Lewis.
A. R. FLEET, of Fleet, Well & Co.
LEOPOLD WOLFE of Wolfe & Trimble, Attorneys
BENJ. L. SOREN.
Parties residing in Oregon and adjoining Territories, who wish to secure Insurance with this Company, may send their applications to the General Agent in San Francisco—which application should be accompanied by Certificate furnished by
DR. CHAS. BLACH, Portland, Oregon,
upon whose recommendation Policy will be issued.
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ERWIN POWELL. GEORGE E. COE.
POWELL & COE,
Forwarding and Commission
MERCHANTS,
UMATILLA CITY, OGN.
PARTICULAR PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO receiving and Forwarding goods to all parts of the Mines in Oregon and Washington and Idaho. Goods reinsured. Freights paid, Storage obtained, and all business connected with the Forwarding and Commission business promptly attended to.
Consignments of Goods solicited.
WE REFER IN PORTLAND,
At San Francisco—Howard, Conway & Co, Richards & McCraken.
At Portland—Richards & McCraken, Goldsmith Bros
At Victoria, V. I.—Gladstone & Bro, Gould, David & Co.
Mark Goods care of P. & C, Umatilla.
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FLANDERS & FELTON,
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
WALLULA, W. T.
PERSONAL ATTENTION GIVEN TO RECEIVING and Forwarding Goods to all parts of the Mines in Washington and Idaho Territories, also to the Kootenai Mines. Freights paid and Goods Stored on Consignments made to us.
All business intrusted to us promptly attended to.
Mark Goods care of F. & F., Wallula.
FLANDERS & FELTON
Have on hand and keep for sale a large Assortment of
Groceries and Liquors.
REFERENCES:
Messrs Nudd, Stanley & Co., San Francisco.
Saylor & Co., Portland
Knapp, Burrell & Co., Portland.
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IDAHO!
B. M. DuRELL & CO.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
AND DEALERS IN
GENERAL MERCHANDISE,
BOISE CITY, I. T.,
SILVER CITY, OWYHEE MINES,
References:
Allen & Lewis, Portland, O. Warren Leland, N. Y. City
Moses, Ellis & Co, Hollidays & Hatch,
San Francisco. Great Salt Lake City.

COLUMBIA RIVER MINES!
A. R. BURRIS. HARRY DEVISON.
BOOTH & DEVISON,
Forwarding and Commission Merchants
AND DEALERS IN GENERAL MERCHANDISE
White Bluffs, W. T.
PACKING FOR PENAWAWE, UPPER COLUMBIA KOOTENAI and BLACKFOOT MINES promptly forwarded.
Stock Goods B and N, White Bluffs, W. T.
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Portland—Richards & McCraken, Allen & Lewis and Hodge & Calef
Dalles—Block, Miller & Co. Francis & Hillman. no12 3m

HENRY MARTIN & CO.,
LOCATED IN
PRODUCE,
Foreign and Domestic Fruits,
NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
CIGARS, TOBACCO, PIPES, STATIONERY, CUTLERY,
Yankee Notions, &c.,
FIRE CRACKERS and all kinds of FIREWORKS, and South Sea Island CORAL SHELLS, always on hand.
Rice, Miller & Lambert's FLOWER SHRUBBERY, FRUIT TREES and FRUITS.
Corner of Front and Washington Sts.,
Opposite Lincoln House, Portland, Oregon.
P S—Orders promptly filled. nov24tf

THE BANK
OF
BRITISH COLUMBIA
Incorporated by Royal Charter.
Capital - $1,250,000
Paid up in Full.
IN 12,500 SHARES, OF $100 EACH,
WITH POWER TO INCREASE.
HEAD OFFICE 60 LOMBARD STREET, LONDON.
BRANCHES.
IN VANCOUVER ISLAND VICTORIA.
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA,
NEW WESTMINSTER Bank British Columbia.
YALE Bank of British Columbia.
MORE HOUSE Bank of British Columbia.
CARIBOO DOWN Cariboo Branch Bank of British Columbia.
IN THE UNITED STATES:
SAN FRANCISCO—Bank of British Columbia.
NEW YORK—Messrs. R. HILL and F. GUNDRY.
IN CANADA:
BANK OF MONTREAL.
Branches and Agencies:
Montreal, Kingston, Whitby, Stratford,
Toronto, Cobourg, Peterboro, Picton,
Quebec, Belleville, Ottawa, Perth,
Hamilton, Brantford, Georgetown, Sarnia,
London, Port Sarnia, Goderich, St. Catharines
IN SCOTLAND British Linen Company Bank.
IN IRELAND Cahen Bank of Ireland.
CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and loans and cash credits granted. Not less than One Hundred Dollars INTEREST allowed on the daily balances of $100 and upwards.
SPECIAL DEPOSITS received, Interest, issued for money lodged for a fixed period.
BILLS on London, U. States, and BILLS OF EXCHANGE on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York purchased.
DRAFTS issued on all the Branches and Agencies, and CREDITS granted on Great Britain, San Francisco and New York, authorizing payment for Goods shipped to Portland.
GOLD BARS PURCHASED, received on Deposit, or Advances made upon them.
EDWIN RUSSELL, Manager
Portland, July 10, 1865. dtf

PORTLAND
PLUMBING, GAS & STEAM FITTING
ESTABLISHMENT,
No. 110 First Street.
ON HAND AND CONSTANTLY RECEIVING FROM the East—
Cooking Ranges,
Hot Water Boilers,
Copper, Tin and Planished Bath Tubs;
Square and angular Black Walnut Counter-Sunk
Marble Wash Stands;
Cold, and Hot and Cold WATER SHOWERS;
SILVER-PLATED BASIN COCKS;
MARBLE WASH BASINS;
FORCE AND LIFT PUMPS;
HYDRAULIC RAMS;
NON-FREEZING HYDRANTS;
WATER CLOSETS, &c., &c.
Persons wishing to introduce Cold, or Hot and Cold Water into their premises, either Plain or Ornamental, would do well to give me a call.
Portland, April 30, 1865. C. H. MYERS.

ENGINEERS AND OTHERS,
Take Notice.
JUST RECEIVED, A SMALL LOT OF THE CELEbrated SCOTCH TUBES for Water Gauges.
Also, the Largest Stock ever offered before in this city of all sizes WROUGHT IRON PIPES from ⅛ to 4 inch inside diameter; BRASS COCKS, T'S, ELBOWS, RETURN BENDS, NIPPLES, BUSHINGS, &c.
Constantly on hand, STEAM WHISTLES, STEAM GUAGES, WATER GUAGES, GOVERNOR and STOP VALVES, THROTTLE ANGLE and CHECK VALVES, GUAGE COCKS, AIR COCKS, and all kinds of
BRASS WORK,
FOR STEAM, WATER, AND GAS.
Persons wishing any thing in the above line, will do well to examine and price my stock before sending to San Francisco. C. H. MYERS,
Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting Establishment,
aug8dtf No. 110 First Street, Portland.

CITY BAKERY
AND
Provision Store.
R. PITTOCK,
NO. 9 NORTH FRONT STREET,
Opposite Lower Steamship Landing
and Corner Flant and Morrison Streets,
Wholesale and Retail manufacturer of
BREAD,
Butter, Water, Sugar, Boston and Soda
CRACKERS,
PILOT BREAD, PIES, CAKES, &c., &c.
and all kinds of
STEAMBOAT AND SHIP STORES,
Family Groceries,
FEED, FRUIT, VEGETABLES, &c., &c.
Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City. Orders from a distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.
The business hereafter will be conducted STRICTLY ON THE CASH PRINCIPLE.

Notice to
BREWERS & SALOON-KEEPERS.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND—
MALT HOPS IRISH MOSS,
BARLEY SHOVELS, BARREL BRUSHES,
BRASS AND WOOD FAUCETS,
And all other articles for Brewer's use. Also any quantity of
WEINHARD'S LAGER BEER!
So Well and Favorably Known. All of which we are prepared to furnish at PRICES THAT AT DEFY COMPETITION
Orders will be Promptly Filled.
WEINHARD & BELLINGER,
City Brewery,
Nov 30, 1864. 63m Portland, Oregon.

Jewelry! Jewelry!
DIRECT FROM NEW YORK!
C. G. STEWART. C. H. MYERS
STEWART & COURLEY,
Are now offering to the Public the BEST and CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT of
CLOCKS, WATCHES, JEWELRY,
IVORY AND RUBBER SETTS,
(New Style Jewelry.)
A Large and Well-selected Stock of
Silver Plated Wares;
And every thing usually kept in our line of business.
AGENTS FOR THE AMERICAN WATCH COMPANY
Particular attention paid to the REPAIRS OF FINE WATCHES, and all JOB WORK done on short notice by an experienced workman.
Call and see for yourselves.
STEWART & COURLEY,
Je24dtf 103 Front street, Portland, Oregon.

Agent for Waterbury, S. F. and Sar'g J. W. Leppel, N. Y.
WATERHOUSE & LESTER,
Successors to H. W. Bragg & Co.,
AND DEALERS IN
HARDWOOD LUMBER,
OF ALL KINDS OF
Coach, Carriage and Wagon Stock,
17 and 18 Seventh street, Sacramento.
20 and 21 Battery street, San Francisco
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Dissolution of Copartnership.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Copartnership heretofore existing under the name of H. W. BRAGG & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Bragg having sold his entire interest in the firm to his partners, the style now will be continued by them under the same style of WATERHOUSE & LESTER, who are authorized to collect all debts due the late firm and will settle all demands against the same.
October 30, 1865. H. W. BRAGG
C. WATERHOUSE,
J. W. LESTER.

DR. R. B. WILSON,
Office—No. 53 Stark street,
Residence—North Fourth street, dtf

DR. H. M'KINNELL,
HOMEOPATHIST,
HAVING RESIGNED HIS POSITION AS PRESIDENT of the Medical Board of Health, can be found at his Office and Residence, corner of Second and Pine streets, Portland. dtf

J. L. COOMBS, M. D.,
Late of Cincinnati,
PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, &c. &c.
OFFICE, Corner Building of Wells, Fargo & Co.
RESIDENCE, Third door above Ankeny.
CONTINUES TO TREAT LINGERING DISEASES OF LONG STANDING.
Portland, Dec. 1, 1865. dtf

PEOPLE'S TRANSPORTATION CO.'S
Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE UNTIL FURTHER notice
THE STEAMER
SENATOR
Will leave Portland for Oregon City every morning at 8 o'clock, CARRYING THE U. S. MAIL.
The Steamer RIVAL will leave Oregon City daily, Sundays excepted, at 2 P. M., and will leave Portland at 8 A. M.
The Steamer RELIANCE will leave Canemah every Monday and Thursday morning, upon the arrival of the SENATOR from Portland; connecting with the CORVALLIS, and intermediate points.
The Steamer ENTERPRISE will leave Oregon City every Tuesday morning, for HUNNEL CITY and intermediate points.
O. W. S. WITHERELL, Agt.
Oregon City, Dec. 1, 1865. dtf

Notice.
THE WILLAMETTE STEAMBOAT COMPANY'S STEAMER
ACTIVE,
CAPT. J. T. APPERSON, Master,
Will leave CANEMAH every TUESDAY and FRIDAY at 6 o'clock A. M., for SALEM, ALBANY and COR VALLIS.
Portland, Dec. 9, 1865. dtf R. R. THOMPSON, Pres't W. S. Co.

Notice.
FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE until further notice, THE STEAMER
UNION
Will leave CANEMAH every SUNDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY morning, upon the arrival of the Boat from Portland.
Returning every TUESDAY and SATURDAY, connecting with the Boats for Portland.
September 7th 1865.—tf J. R. MILLER, Master.

ESTABLISHED 1851
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Importers of Optical, Mathematical and Philosophical Instruments,
Stereoscopic Goods,
CARTES DE VISITE,
and JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS'
SUPERIOR CUTLERY.
PUBLISHERS OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF CALIFORNIA.
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery street, between California and Pine streets, San Francisco,
And No. 14 Maiden Lane, New York.

HAVE FOR SALE THE LARGEST STOCK ON THE Pacific Coast, consisting in part as follows:
220 dozen SPECTACLES, in Gold, Silver, Steel and Horn, Shell and Rubber Frames;
805 dozen EYE GLASSES, in Gold, Silver, Steel, Horn, Shell and Rubber Frames;
50 dozen WIRE GAUZE GOGGLES;
200 dozen SPECTACLE CASES and BRAZILIAN PEBBLES;
250 dozen OPERA GLASSES and EYE GLASS CASES;
36 Opera and Marine Glasses;
75 Telescope and Spy Glasses;
225 dozen Magnifying Glasses;
50 dozen Pocket Compasses;
325 Hand Stereoscopes;
74 Reading Stereoscopes;
500 dozen Slate Pencils;
Drawing Instruments, Ivory and German Silver and Brass,
Boxwood and Ivory Scales;
Mathematical Instruments;
200 Magnetic Machines for Medical purposes;
Assorted Barometers;
20,000 Card Photographs;
6000 Stereoscopic Pictures, Coloring
dozen Photo Card Frames,
Joseph Rodgers & Son's CUTLERY;
100 dozen Table Knives;
200 dozen Pocket Knives;
120 dozen Razors;
50 dozen Razor Straps;
130 dozen Scissors;
Penknives, in Cases;
100 dozen Stereoscope Tops;
100 dozen Thermometers;
25 dozen Hydrometers;
Gunters' Rules, &c.
COUNTRY TRADERS will consult their own interest by examining our Stock and Prices before purchasing elsewhere.
ORDERS FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY EXECUTED.
CATALOGUES sent to any address FREE.
LAWRENCE & HOUSEWORTH,
OPTICIANS,
Nos. 317 and 319 Montgomery Street,
SAN FRANCISCO. dawly1p

JOHN B. MILLER,
PRACTICAL
WATCHMAKER,
108 Front Street,
One door north of Post Office in Smallman's Music Store,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
I WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE TO THE citizens of Portland and Oregon, in general, that I have returned to the city and have opened my NEW STORE with a
Very Extensive and Well-Selected Assortment of
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,
from the most celebrated Makers.
CLOCKS OF VARIOUS STYLES,
DIAMONDS, JEWELRY AND SILVER WARE,
All of the Latest and Most Desirable Fashions.
Particular attention given to CLEANING AND REPAIRING FINE WATCHES, and satisfaction guaranteed. Watches and Jewelry of every description repaired in short notice.
October 10, 1865. JOHN B. MILLER.

CHARLES BERNARD,
MANUFACTURER AND DEALER IN
FAMILY CHARTRES COFFEE,
AND SPICES OF ALL KINDS,
No. 707 Sansome Street, corner of Gold,
Between Jackson and Pacific Streets,
SAN FRANCISCO.
FIRST PREMIUM AWARDED
BY THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE
FOR BEST COFFEE AND SPICES.
That reputation having been established for the last ten years, I am now the sole proprietor, and will continue to supply the trade and the public in general. All articles from my establishment are warranted to be pure and unadulterated, and the public are respectfully invited to call and satisfy themselves.
Country orders promptly attended to. no24dtf

Isthmus Butter!
A FEW CHOICE LOTS OF J. C. and Diamond H Butter. These articles are considered the best that come to this market. For sale by
RICHARDS & M'CRAKEN.
HIDES & WOOL.
WILL PAY the Highest CASH PRICE for Hides and Wool, at RICHARDS & M'CRAKEN.
Portland, Nov. 21, 1865. dawly

FURS! FURS!
THE HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR BEAVER, Otter and Mink Skins.
RICHARDS & M'CRAKEN
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Mining Tools,
A LARGE STOCK CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
For sale by
H. W. CORBETT

New Columbian.
Nos. 118, 120 and 122 Front st. corner of Morrison.
GOOD NEWS!
THE NEW CLEVELAND Arms and the newly refitted and refurnished
NEW COLUMBIAN
Have just been opened to the public, and are now ready for the reception of guests. The house has been entirely refitted and refurnished with new furniture throughout, and is now one of the best hotels in the city.
The NEW COLUMBIAN contains eighty-four large, well-furnished rooms, which have been carefully selected, and are kept in the most perfect order. The
DINING ROOM
Is unsurpassed in the city, and the tables will always be supplied with the best the market affords, permitting no house to excel it in the quality of its cuisine.
A Reception Room for the accommodation of ladies.
The BAR will be supplied with the choicest brands, guaranteed to be of the best quality.
A Reception Room for Ladies and Gentlemen, connected with the Dining Room.
Rooms, per week, $5; Board and Lodging, $7 to $10.
The Proprietor would call the attention of the public to the fact that he has purchased the Omnibus and Baggage Line formerly owned by Messrs. Ankeny & Co., and that the Omnibus will be in attendance at the Steamboat Landing on the arrival of all boats, and will convey passengers to the New Columbian free of charge.
P. H. FINN, Proprietor.
Portland, Oregon, August 30, 1865. dtf

What Cheer House,
Front St., between Morrison and Yamhill
M. O'CONNER, Proprietor,
WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM HIS PATRONS and the public generally that having moved into his
NEW AND SPLENDID HOTEL,
He is now prepared to accommodate any number of persons with Board and Lodging.
Each Room is furnished with entirely
NEW FURNITURE,
And the Table will be furnished with the
BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS.
The Proprietor would express his thanks for the continued patronage of the people for years, he would solicit further patronage of the public, and assure them that no exertions on his will be spared to render this house the most popular in Oregon.
Good Fire Proof Safe for keeping Treasure, Valuables, &c.
The House OPEN AT ALL HOURS.
Hot and Cold Baths on Steamer FREE OF CHARGE.
Portland, March, 1865. dtf

Western Hotel,
Corner of Morrison and First streets.
PORTLAND, OREGON,
E. D. SMITH ..... Proprietor.
THIS HOTEL, DURING THE LAST TWO MONTHS, has been entirely repainted, repaired and refurnished, in addition of a number of new rooms, and the proprietor is now able to offer to the public one of the best conducted houses in the city. No pains will be spared to render satisfaction to the increased patronage given the traveling public.
Especial attention is called to his SUITS OF ROOMS, and to the convenience for the accommodation of families.
The RESTAURANT is under the immediate supervision, and the proprietor is not able to give to the traveling public the best meals that can be procured in the market.
Free Hotel 'bus to and from the house.
Portland, March 1st, 1866. dtf

WASHINGTON HOTEL,
Corner Second and Alder Sts.,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
JACOB KOENIG ..... Proprietor.
This Hotel is now open for the reception of Guests.
THE PROPRIETOR OF THE WASHINGTON HOtel, long and favorably known to the public as the proprietor of the Astor House, respectfully announces to his New Hard Finished House to his numerous friends in this City and vicinity and the Atlantic States, with the assurance that nothing will be omitted on his part to render the Washington Hotel as eligible a House as any in Portland, for City Boarders, as well as Travelers and Families from the Interior. The House is located in the most central part of the Commercial part of the City, and provided with every convenience calculated to render a stay in the same convenient and comfortable. The tables are high and nice and everything neat.
The Tables will always be supplied with the best the market affords. se16dtf

Howard House,
Front St., near Steamboat Landing.
(Formerly kept by Jas. Gong.)
MICHAEL LANE ..... Proprietor.
THIS WELL-KNOWN HOTEL IS NOW OPEN FOR the reception of guests. It has been recarpeted and refurnished.
TERMS:
Board and Lodging from $6 00 to $7 00 per week.
FIRE-PROOF SAFE for Valuables, and all baggage carefully taken care of.
There is a First-Class SALOON connected with the House, under the supervision of WILLIAM INGATE.
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NEW ARRANGEMENT!!
New Proprietors.
EMPIRE RESTAURANT
COR. FIRST AND WASHINGTON STS.
THIS RESTAURANT, has been newly refitted and refurnished and is now reopened to a commodate a large number of Boarders and Lodgers.
The Table will at all times be supplied with the best the Market affords.
MEALS AT ALL HOURS!
Please give us a Trial.
A Private Dining Room for LADIES.
MRS. P. ARGUINSON
oct28dtf

RAILROAD HOUSE,
FIRE PROOF BUILDING,
Nos. 316, 318, 320 Commercial street,
SAN FRANCISCO.
THIS HOUSE CONTAINS ONE HUNDRED ROOMS, Well Furnished.
The House is conducted on the European Plan. Rooms let with or without Board. Lodging by the day or week at reasonable rates.
The Table is supplied with the best the market affords and is second to none in the State of California.
FIRST CLASS BOARD served at 25 cents per Meal.
By giving me a call trial, I guarantee perfect satisfaction.
LODGING, 50 to 75 cents per Night.
The Railroad House Coach will be in readiness on the arrival of Steamers to convey passengers and their baggage to the House Free of Charge.
A Free Hack Rate is attached to the office for the Depot of Vehicles.
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C. B. BEELNE, Sole Proprietor.

RUSS HOUSE,
San Francisco, California.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THIS DAY PURchased the entire interest of Messrs. Russ & Co. in the above House, and will continue to conduct it on the same liberal plan as heretofore. The Russ House is one of the most popular Hotels in the City of UNION SQUARE, and is the resort of the Country Merchants, the Wholesale Dealers, and the Business Men generally. It will be their object to keep it in all its appointments in the superior manner with which the House has been conducted from its opening.
The proprietor, by strict attention to the comfort of his guests, hopes to receive a liberal share of the patronage heretofore given to this House.
H. H. PEARSON & CO.
San Francisco, June 1, 1865. dtf

DELMONICO RESTAURANT.
THE undersigned, having purchased the above popular establishment, would respectfully inform the public that he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the liberal patronage extended to the late proprietor, Mr. Meyer, and to the public in general.
The Restaurant will be supplied with the best the market affords, and no pains will be spared to render satisfaction to all who favor me with their patronage.
Meals at all Hours.
BOARD by the week or month.
Portland, Nov. 11, 1865. JOHN F. DIMMICK

PACIFIC
Hotel & Restaurant,
OLYMPIA, W. T.
THE ABOVE WELL-KNOWN AND Popular House, having been refitted and refurnished throughout, is now open for the reception of guests. The Proprietor will spare no pains to render satisfaction to those who favor him with their patronage. The Restaurant will be under the charge of a competent French gentleman, and the Bar will be supplied with the choicest liquors and cigars. The Table will be supplied with every delicacy the country affords, and the most experienced attendants will be in waiting.
Carriages will be in readiness on the arrival of each steamer to convey passengers and their baggage to the House free of charge.
Nov. 2, 1865. MOSES & HOWARD

Beans! Beans!
PINK AND BAYO BEANS, just received by
RICHARDS & M'CRAKEN

By Overland Telegraph.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE OREGONIAN.

DATES TO DECEMBER 25th.

Financial—Railroad Destructions.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21.—Among the new bills introduced December 20th, the Treasury Department is desired to [illegible] the public debt; also, to [illegible] public loans and $500,000 in coin to pay accruing bonds. The circulation of the National Banks was increased by the issue of $10,000,000 in new bonds during the past week. The circulation is almost two hundred and fifty millions.

Congress passed the resolution to-day, for the citizens to running the train on the railroad between Richmond and Washington Exclusively on the track and tearing up the portion that has been put down for the rebels. The [illegible] will look after the unrepentant rebels.

There is a rumor that Secretary Harlan, of the Interior Department, and Gen. Rousseau, and that Alexander W. Randall, are to be appointed envoys to Austria.

More Fenian News.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—It is rumored that the Secretarial Department and Fenians have determined on a Canadian war, and measures of compromise between the Colonel and the Senators are now under debate.

The Staff of the Secretary of War is composed of Two of the members are graduates of West Point. Dispatches were received by special envoy from the Head Center. Stephens yesterday, and the important news they considered by President Mahony that he at once ordered them to be placed before General Sweeny or those who received what is called the Senate, with a view to having their requirements complied with at once. The nature of the dispatches was not made public.

A Question in the Canadian Courts.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The American Consul at Toronto, and the Agent of the Post Office Department have libelled $400,000 worth of United States three cent postage stamps found in a case in the Toronto Custom House, supposed to have been captured at sea by the privateer *Tacony*. The question of owner-ship will shortly be argued in a Canadian Court.

Miscellaneous.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Suit has been entered in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, against the Mayor and City Council, to restrain them from paying out of the corporation funds the expenses of the recent election. The injunction is taken before judge Carter. Gen. Grant has made an order that respondents answer on Tuesday next and show cause why injunction should not be issued as prayed for.

A petition to Congress is in circulation to-day, for signatures in favor of negro suffrage.

The issuing of pardons has almost entirely ceased. About a dozen requisitions were made to-day for pardons within the $20,000 clause.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The *Tribune's* Richmond correspondent says: Notwithstanding the distressed condition of the section generally there is generally expressed a wish that our Government should become established in a foreign war. This wish finds its origin with a certain class with heartiest longing for opportunity to have the disgrace now attached to them on account of rebellion removed. There are men who hold offices in the rebel army who would willingly exhibit as privates under the old flag in case of war with France or England. While unwilling to acknowledge its publicity, a majority of the people of the South feel the disgrace which attaches itself to the name of rebel, and bitterly regret their folly in making for themselves that name of traitor. To free themselves from this imputation, and to put themselves again on a level with their Northern brethren, they are willing to do almost anything.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—The *Commercial's* Washington dispatch says: It is ascertained here upon apparently reliable authority that three months hence there will not be a French soldier in Mexico. The *Post's* Washington dispatch says: The committee on appropriations will hold several sessions during the holidays with the expectation of perfecting permanent appropriation bills. Great reduction will probably be made.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—Isaac B. Vosler, Superintendent and Inspector of Navy Department, is now engaged in inaugurating a new system of navy accounts, by which it is expected to prevent any future frauds upon Government. The new system has been successfully introduced in the Navy Yards of Philadelphia and Boston.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24.—The *Herald's* Washington special says circulation of National Banks has been increased by issue of four millions of dollars during last week. Total circulation about two hundred and fifty four millions.

First reception of the White House is to be held next Thursday. No other will be held until reassembling of Congress.

Treasury purposes to celebrate by individual observance this week.

The fact is that no fraud has been practiced in the printing department of the Treasury.

About a dozen officers leaving of the signal corps.

From the Rio Grande.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Advices from the Rio Grande express relations growing more mix

The Daily Oregonian.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE STATE

WEDNESDAY MORNING JANUARY 3 1866

THE UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE

Are requested to meet at SALEM ON THURSDAY THE 15TH DAY OF FEBRUARY next Where vacancies may occur in the Committee the County Committees are requested to fill them as the district has a full attendance at that time J R MOORES

Chairman Union State Central Committee

Salem, Oregon Jan 1st 1866

James Buchanan--His Book

There is a report that James Buchanan is still living at his residence in a small Pennsylvania town, and that in order to vindicate his name he has written a book designed to show that loyal men—not such traitors as he—were the authors of the rebellion. The views he takes are made manifest by a single paragraph from the preface It is as follows

"The narrative will prove that the original and conspiring cause of all our future troubles are to be found in the long active and persistent hostility of the Northern Abolitionists both in and out of Congress, against Southern slavery until the final triumph of their cause in the election of President Lincoln, and, on the other hand the corresponding antagonism and violence with which the advocates of slavery resisted these efforts and vindicated its preservation and extension up to the period of secession So excited were the parties, that had they intended to furnish material to inflame the passions of the one against the other, they could not have more effectually succeeded than they did by their mutual criminations and recriminations."

No one, after reading the foregoing paragraph, will have the slightest disposition to question its authorship. But one man in America could write just like this, and every intelligent person knows that that man is the eminent "J B" How accurately these his latest utterances remind us of the messages he sent to Congress in the days when the "chivalry" were using him as their willing and pliant instrument!

In his message of December 3d, 1860, he said

"The long-continued and intemperate interference of the Northern people with the question of slavery has at length produced its natural effects Sooner or later the bonds of such a Union must be severed."

And, again, in another part of his message, applying of Northern legislation, he said

"In that event, the injured States, after having first used all peaceful and constitutional means to obtain redress, would be justified in revolutionary resistance to the Government of the Union."

It would be absurd to suppose that the author of these sentiments had yet been converted to the doctrines of truth and loyalty. "J B's" book is likely to be nothing more than a repetition of the leaves of his old messages. The people will not be very anxious, though they may be somewhat curious to possess this new edition of the works of the modern Machiavelli

About the Fenians.

If it had been seriously intended by the Fenians to make an effort to achieve the independence of Ireland, unanimity among their members, and a perfect concert of action among all who entered into the plans of their party, would, we might think, be as indispensable as desirable But the first two have had the strange spectacle of a party making an effort to free their country, while its leaders remaining in another land thousands of miles away, with an ocean to intervene, and now we find these same persons, as if forgetting their traditional hostility to the British crown, thoroughly inharmonious among themselves, and already almost ready to settle their domestic and fraternal difficulties "with sticks" as argument, in the true Hibernian way. The President of this new "Government" is at cross purposes with the Senate; the Secretary of War is at variance with the rest of the Cabinet; the Secretary of the Treasury has been impeached for a violation of his trust; while the great body of the brotherhood is divided by the quarrels of their leaders, a part taking up the cause of the President, and the remainder going against him To use an old, Stephenic, the head of the movement in Ireland, writes a letter to the effect that the Fenian "Government" in America has been a "stumbling-block" in the way of the whole enterprise The failure of every day, brings us some new account of the dissensions of the order, and we find a fact which was to inaugurate a formidable rebellion, now rebelling against itself.

It is as if the Fenian cause in America had met with the misfortune of falling into bad hands The great body of those who compose the organization are undoubtedly men of true honesty and of good purpose. Their devotion to their native land is most praiseworthy. Were their efforts properly directed, and were themselves guided aright, they might be able to accomplish something for a cause which we are not permitted to doubt, they have very nearly at heart.

But it is impossible for them now to accomplish their design of obtaining national independence for Ireland. They might at first, by a succession of quick, unexpected and sturdy blows, have possessed themselves of the island; but they cannot now. England is on the alert, and the force she has there is too strong to be overcome by any preparations that can be concerted in secret against her. She deals in the most summary and severe manner with all active and suspected parties, and no demonstration can be made that will not instantly be quelled The intended revolution has been suppressed in Ireland, and Fenians will hardly be able to accomplish its object by making America the sole theater of its operations.

MEETING OF THE UNION STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.—We publish to-day a call for the Union State Central Committee to meet at Salem on Thursday, the 15th of February The following is a list of the members of the Committee It is particularly desirable that all should attend I R. Moores, of Marion, Chairman, John R Stevens, of Baker, B R Biddle, of Benton B D Stevens, of Columbia, J D Lucey, of Clackamas, Cyrus Olney, of Clatsop, H L Blake of Curry, Henry Wykoff, of Coos, James Cole of Douglas, C F Russell, of Jackson, S R Scott, of Josephine, J B Underwood, of Lane Wm Miller, of Linn, J H Mitchell of Multnomah, B F Whitson, of Polk, John Stripp of Tillamook, T K McCoy, of Umatilla, Wm Logan of Wasco, T R Cornelius, of Washington and A G Cook, of Yamhill

There are some vacancies in the above list which ought to be filled We hope the Union men of the counties in which the vacancies exist will supply the places of the former members by appointing others Let us begin the coming campaign in earnest, and carry it through triumphantly

TAXING THE MINES.—The *Statesman* quotes a sentence or two from an article we published last summer, and tries to make out therefrom that we are in favor of taxing mining claims We stated distinctly that while the Government has the unquestioned *right* to tax the mineral lands it would be bad policy to do it Because we said the Government possesses this *right* the *Statesman* insists that we want the mines to be taxed We stated explicitly that the proper way would be to tax the metals after they were mined We are afraid the *Statesman* is too dull to comprehend any distinction that can possibly be made

The Union majority in Pennsylvania last October was 21, 016 In 1862 the "Democrats" had a majority of 3,524 Lincoln's majority on home vote (1864) was 5,712 From the above figures it does not appear that the boasted gains of the "Democracy" are of a kind to assist that party materially, in its struggle for office and power

By Overland Telegraph.

[LEASED WIRE TO THE OREGONIAN

DATES TO DECEMBER 30.

Defense of General Baker

Washington Nov 22d—To day's *Daily Chronicle* contains an article in defense of General Baker Chief Detective of the War Department says

"Notwithstanding the terrible outcry against him he still has the confidence of the Department which he justly merited during General Baker's short but brilliant career as a soldier from $11 30 to $1000 The finding and action were fully deserved

The *Chronicle* also says General Baker has not committed a single person to the Old Capitol for more than two years and that he has with much tact and discretion performed the latter part of 1864

Fire at Portsmouth N H

Portsmouth N H Dec 24 The principal portion of the block on the north side of Congress street was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday night

The "Pardon Market" Dull.

Washington Dec 25 One hundred and fifty applications for pardons were received to day from citizens of Virginia Among them are five from ex United States Senators Few pardons are now being granted Nearly all are to Texans There are several thousand applications on file

Cabinet Meeting.

Washington Dec 26—All the members of the Cabinet were present at a meeting to-day Secretary McCulloch having returned from his visit to the North

Important Decision.

Washington D C Dec 21—In the case of Walter Murray a colored man sentenced by the county court of this place to be sold into servitude for stealing Maj General Cook overruled the sentence on the ground that no laws could be enforced which makes a distinction between blacks and whites The statutes which provide for the selling of free negroes into servitude may not be enforced The alarm about the rising of the negroes in the neighborhood is subsiding.

Quiet in Virginia

Richmond Dec 26—Christmas was observed by all classes in this city with the usual festivities No demonstration of mob violence occurred during the day except at Manchester, opposite Richmond where a number of persons surrounded the jail and forced the officers to release several colored prisoners All other official reports from all sections of the State represent the freedmen as quiet and orderly No apprehensions of any disturbance among them exists among the officers of the bureau

Recognition of Rebel Governors

Washington, Dec 26—The President, through the Secretary of State has refused Judge Sharkey of his duty as Provisional Governor, recognizing as his successor Governor Humphreys The President sent letters to them both similar to those addressed to other Provisional Governors of the Southern States, recommending them to submit to the constitutional authorities chosen by the people and hoping that they will conduct the affairs of the State so as to insure peace and harmony among all classes Texas and Florida are the only States that now have Provisional Governors

The Cattle Plague in England.

Washington Dec 26—The United States Consul at Manchester England, under date of December 9th, informs the State Department that since the last dispatch the cattle plague had extended and the number of death were rapidly increasing

The Presidency in Mexico.

New York Dec 25—The Constitutional term for holding the Presidency of Mexico by Juarez, expired by limitation, on the 14th of November last, and there seems to be some doubts among the Mexicans whether he could continue in office until another election could be held in conformation with the exigencies of the country Some think that he should relinquish the Presidency into the hands of General Ortega, the Vice President All true Mexicans, however, are unanimously in the opinion the President should retain the office till an election can be held General Ortega deemed it his duty to be at the capital of the Republic at the expiration of the constitutional term, with the design of taking charge of public affairs should President Juarez deem it proper to relinquish Rumors detrimental to the Liberal cause are being industriously circulated The friends of Mexico in this city deny that President Juarez and General Ortega have quarrelled The latter has always expressed himself as willing to adhere assiduously to the administration of the former, and to continue as hitherto to uphold, in the field and in the Cabinet, the independence and integrity of the Republic.

Receipts from the internal revenue for the week ending December 23d, amounted to $5,000,000, making a total since January last of nearly $170,000,000.

Riot at Alexandria, Va.

Washington, Dec 26—The *Evening Star* has information of a riot at Alexandria Va yesterday It says it was commenced by a party of negroes who were going about the city with a drum These negroes broke in the door of a man named Wilkins, who fired on them, killing one and wounding another The disturbance extended to other portions of the place Until late at night, shooting was going on in every section Four white men are reported killed and a number wounded

Washington, N C, Dec 26—The negroes made an organized demonstration in the vicinity on Christmas morning. The negroes charged with creating a disturbance were arrested by the police, and a crowd of negroes attempted to rescue them when two companies of recruits and a detachment of recruits and regulars from the garrison came to the assistance of the police About 100 negroes were arrested, but they have not yet been disposed of There was no other disturbance of any consequence

The Congressional Oath

New York Dec 27—The special of the *Times* says that Secretary Stanton in reply to the Senate resolution states that no one has been employed by the War Department who has not taken the oath prescribed by Congress, except those who were appointed Provisional Governors of the States who received compensation from the contingent fund of the War Department as follows Andrew Johnson of Tennessee $3,000 per annum Holden of North Carolina $1,700, J H Perry, of South Carolina $750, Lewis E Parsons, of Georgia $1 000, James Johnson of Georgia, $1,000 Dr Frances Deibon of the Bureau of rebel archives is the only office filled, not authorized by law It was the expectation that the obvious necessity of the office would be recognized by Congress

The Quarrel Among the Fenians.

New York Dec 27—Considerable excitement has been created in this city in consequence of the publication by the senatorial party of Fenians fourtain documents relating to dissensions among Fenians A letter from Jarius Stephens written at Dublin, has been obtained in which Stephens denominates O Mahoney the stumbling block of the organization A powerful movement is in progress to effect a compromise between the contending parties The rank and file are beginning to make urgent demands for the retirement of O'Mahoney and the senate

Groundless Rumors of Juarez's Resignation.

The *Herald's* Vera Cruz correspondent in a letter dated the 14th inst, says that the old Juarez dirt rumor that Juarez has resigned the Presidency of the Mexican Republic is being again circulated The story is a canard started in its previous cases by ominously silent the Mexican Republic Is Just before the sailing of every French steamer from the port some rumor is invariably circulated to bolster up Maximilian and Henry Lamar and the Republican cause in the minds of the public in Europe

Fire at Shaffer, Pa.

Philadelphia Dec 26 A fire occurred yesterday at Shaffer from which was destroyed nearly half the town including ten stores four hotels and a number of private houses The loss is not yet ascertained

International Trade

New York Dec 25 If Montreal hold to the *Herald* is to that the Victoria Convention has failed that a bill entered Parliament for the admission of free of duties in the United States must be agreed to and the duty paid upon their value in bond

Filibusterism about Atlanta.

New York Dec 26 The Savannah *Herald* correspondent says that a number of influential citizens of Atlanta are taking arrangements to organize a regiment of Home Guards in order to clear the city of the bands of murderers and robbers with which it is infested

A A Bradley a mulatto, who was formerly expelled from Boston from respectable society joined by a mulatto writer on the press has imprisonment for making use of sedition language

Riot in Indiana.

Cincinnati, Dec 28—A large number of men engaged as laborers on the Dayton and Western Railroad near Richmond, Indiana, took passage yesterday for Tarrytown and when asked for the fare refused to pay and on the conductor ordering them to leave a row ensued in which two of the latter were killed The fighting was resumed a number of others were severely wounded

Severe Fire in New York

New York Dec 26—The large building at No 88 Pearl street occupied by O D Ball & Co dealers in naval stores, ship chandlery and there was a large quantity of turpentine and resin stored in the basement was discovered at half twenty minutes after 6 this morning which building was owned by Hamilton Ward & Co Loss from $11 30 to $1000 The building and contents were totally destroyed

Commodore Winslow Given Command of the Iron Squadron.

New York Dec 26—The *Commercial says* Commodore Winslow formerly commander of the *Kearsarge* has been placed in command of the Iron Squadron in the place of Rear Admiral Thatcher The squadron now consists of twenty vessels carrying 150 guns

The gunboat *Tioga* now at Brooklyn Navy Yard will be ordered for sea She is to attend the new War Ship Squadron Commander Henry Erben, formerly of the *Juniata* has been ordered to take command of her

The *Post's* Washington correspondent says It is rumored that Secretary Harlan will soon resign the office of Secretary of the Interior and will be succeeded by the Hon Mr Dixon

The appropriation committee of the House intend to report a bill providing for the assumption of the war debts of the loyal citizens by the General Government

Shipwreck of Nantucket

Boston Dec 28—The Hamburg ship *Vesta Hardy* from New York to Hamburg came ashore at Nantucket on Sunday night and went to pieces One man came ashore alive but had frozen to death after walking half a mile along the sandy beach

The "Negro Insurrection" Story.

Fort Monroe Dec 26—In a measure alarm and distress considerable excitement prevailed last night owing to an unfounded rumor that the blacks were getting up an insurrectionary movement against whites The story probably arose from the blacks celebrating Christmas as is their custom by a display of fireworks and rifle barging firearms No act of violence on the part of the negroes is reported except in Norfolk where it is said, a negro attacked a policeman with a club The officer in self defense shot the negro

Compromise Among the Fenians

New York, Dec 26—The movement for effecting a compromise of the quarrel among the Fenians embraces the following objects First, an immediate movement for the independence of Ireland Second, The delivery of the funds of the Brotherhood to a committee of prominent solvent friends of the cause to be mutually agreed upon The said committee to advance apply such moneys as may be placed in their hands on the bonds of war to effect the redemption of Ireland It is thought that this plan will test the sincerity of both divisions of the order

It is announced that the Erie R R Company has just completed negotiations in England for the loan of six and a half millions of dollars for the completion of its double track

At the meeting of the New England Society, Dr Bellows, of the Sanitary Commission, stated that ninety per cent of the soldiers engaged in the late war were Americans

A letter from Montreal says that at the next session of the Canadian Parliament Mr Brown will urge the Government to purchase the Northwestern Territory at the expense of two million dollars It is not thought the project will be successful

British Troops Coming to Canada

New York Dec 26—A battalion of the 60th Rifles are at present on their way from England to Canada, and more British troops are expected A force of several hundred men are to be stationed at Ottawa, in consequence of there being some alarm felt for the safety of the Parliament buildings.

On Saturday last the white people around Richmond, Va, came flocking into the city under the fear of a negro insurrection on Christmas day.

Proposed Canal Around Niagara Falls

Boston, Dec. 26—At a meeting of the Board of Trade held for the purpose of examining plans for constructing the proposed canal around Niagara Falls, resolutions were adopted favoring the use of inclined planes instead of locks.

More Shipwrecks.

Boston Dec 26—The Schooner *Holmes* of Boston Capt Elliop, from Hayti, with a cargo of logwood went ashore doctor; a sale on Friday night on the south side of Nantucket All hands perished

Fort Hamilton, Dec 25, 8 P M—Steamer *Bosphorus* from Liverpool, came ashore at Fort Hamilton about an hour ago

Boston, Dec. 25.—The *Jason Weston* from Boston bay, while at anchor in harbor got aground on flats and keeled over, and may be badly strained

General News.

New York Dec. 26—The *Post's* special dispatch, says a strong military force has been sent by General Augur to Alexandria to prevent any outbreak on New Year's day

A communication was handed to the Board of Aldermen this morning from A B Bradford, late Public Administrator, stating that his annual report for 1865, would show a deficit of $10,000 in that office Considering this amount had been improperly used by him while holding office, and lost in Stock speculations in Wall Street he says he has assigned all his effects to his mother with the property of his wife to a trustee, to pay first, his bondsmen, and then to go paid to the city toward liquidation of deficiency over the bonds

New York, Dec 30—John B Haskin to whom Judge Barnard referred the claim of Charles Devlin against the city for $108,000 with interest from the 1st of November 1865, for work alleged to have been done on streets in the city, made report in favor of the city

STATE CLAIMS.—The following statement shows the amount advanced the Government by Ohio and Illinois in 1861, to arm, equip and subsist, and transport troops to aid in suppressing the rebellion as well as the amount allowed and repaid these States Illinois total amount expended $4 801 449 39; allowed, $4 719,086 75, balance suspended and disallowed $82,344 16 Ohio amount expended, $2 245 005 54 allowed $1 846, 823 17 balance suspended and disallowed, $396, 774 71 Illinois advanced out of its treasury for this purpose $300 000 more than any other State in the Union —*Eastern paper*

Claims of the above character, due to several of the States, have recently been allowed and paid by the General Government They are altogether a different thing from the bounty claims of some of the States, which the Government is asked to assume Whatever sums any State expended in arming supplying and subsisting troops, ought to be refunded by the national Government A moment's reflection, however will show the injustice of applying the same rule in the matter of paying State bounties The several States having been called on for troops, some furnished them readily with out paying any bounties, while others unable to enlist the required number of men without the additional inducement of a bounty, and anxious to avoid a draft offered large sums to those citizens to enlist, and even went into other States and hired recruits to fill up their quota Massachusetts expended $10,000,000 in this manner, and some of the other States nearly as much The injustice then, is apparent, of asking the States whose citizens did their full share of the fighting to pay the bounties of other States which instead of sending men into the field at once as their neighbors had done, expended millions of money in trying to escape the fighting and dangers and hardships of the war Considering that Massachusetts owes so large a sum for bounties, we are not surprised to find her members asking Congress to assume the debt But in the motive that prompts such a request we see a real instance of what one of our papers forcibly calls "selfishness in its acts" It is nothing but selfishness of the most shameless kind

GEORGE P MARSH ON THE NEW CONSTITUTION OF MISSOURI.—George P Marsh of Vermont, United States Minister to Italy one of the ripest scholars and ablest statesmen of the country, writing to a friend in St Louis in regard to the new Constitution of that State, uses the following language

"Your new Constitution is, I think on the whole, the most advanced piece of democratic legislation of the kind that we have yet had in any of our several States that is—that we have put less restrictions on the elective franchise and holding office than I should myself have done, but not quite like the compelling preachers to take the oath But the clause forbidding gifts of land to ecclesiastical corporations delighted me exceedingly It is a long step in the right direction The wealth of the church is the poverty of the commonwealth and there are few greater curses to a community than a rich and powerful clergy. It was a great stroke to exclude trust as from the bill of rights I wish all the states would do the like and I hope you will be able to keep what you have got on this point

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DIED:

At Salem Jacob Rhoades Jr 26 yrs 1 month and 3 days Deceased was a native of Pennsylvania

Funeral services will take place this (Tuesday) afternoon at 1 o'clock

In this city Oct 12th Mary Moore Infant daughter of Kimball aged 7 months

NEW TO-DAY.

Lecture.

REV FATHER RICHARD S J WILL DELIVER a Lecture at the Church of the Immaculate Conception Court Street and Portland Sunday Jan 7—The Catholic Church, the Bulwark of Moral and Mental Freedom

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Lecture.

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SUBJECT—THE RULE OF FAITH

Notice.

OFFICE OF OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION CO Portland Oregon Jan 1st 1866

A DIVIDEND HAS BEEN THIS DAY DECLARED upon the Capital Stock of this Company payable on and after the 10th instant

JAMES HILL WYGANT Secretary

Notice.

MRS BRAMHALL RESPECTFULLY INFORMS all her customers that her prices for work from and after the date are increased twenty five per cent and that all work must invariably be paid for before it is taken from the house Mrs B is obliged to take this step in order that she may obtain at least a small remuneration for her labor

Portland January 1st 1866 jan3 6tf

Democratic State Central Committee

A MEETING OF THE DEMOCRATIC STATE CENTRAL Committee will be held in the City of Portland on MONDAY JANUARY 22, 1866 at 11 o'clock A M The Members of the Committee are respectfully requested up in this public notification, to be present at the appointed time By order of J B STEPHENS, President of Committee

Portland, Dec 20, 1865 jan3 3td

CALIFORNIA RESTAURANT AND HOTEL.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED THE above well known Hotel informs the public in general that it will be kept in the best style for the accommodation of City Boarders and the Traveling Public in general. JOHN COLLINS.

Portland, Jan 1st, 1866 dtf

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ON AND AFTER JAN 1, 1866 RATES OF FREIGHT on B M DURELL & CO'S FAST FREIGHT AND EXPRESS LINE will be as follows until further notice

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All those who enlisted for three years or during the war in any arm of the service who left with them a Bounty from the State, under the provisions of an act passed the Legislative Assembly, entitled An Act granting Bounties to Soldiers approved Oct 26th 1864 or enrolled in the full amount of their Bounty money being instead the same as if they had served the full time of

II Soldiers who enlist if recruiting are entitled to a Bounty of Fifty Dollars, under the provisions of a law passed the Legislative Assembly approved Dec 10 1864

III Bounties can be delivered to the Soldier in person or upon powers of attorney Powers of attorney must be accompanied with the Soldier's Discharge until it is filed in the Office of the Secretary of State Each Discharge will be endorsed by the person receiving the money, or any person duly authorized to receive the same

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C P PERRY City Treasurer

dec30d5t

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Portland, December 16, 1865 dtf

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ALSO;

100 mats CHINA RICE;
400 bags PATNA RICE;

ALSO

100 boxes CASTILE SOAP;
90 boxes C C SOAP;

ALSO

80 kegs S I SYRUP;
10 bbls MOLASSES;

ALSO;

200 kegs S F GOLDEN SYRUP;
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SATURDAY, JANUARY 13th,

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Valuable Homestead

Lot numbered five (5) in Block numbered two hundred and eighty-eight (288), as the same is known and designated on the Plat of Portland Seventh and Mill streets; thence northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence easterly one hundred (100) feet; thence southerly fifty (50) feet; thence westerly one hundred (100) feet to the place of beginning

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Gold Quotations

Friends Ball.—The first annual ball of the Friends was given, at Lucas & Smith's hall on M... Three hundred persons were present, and it is said that this was the ... ball ever given by any religious society. We are sorry to learn that on account of the small number of ... being present, nothing like an extensive ... will be attempted with such an ... as was ... Let us hope that the ... will be ... and that the ... will be ... Friends.

Robert Rann.—The ... Robert Rann to the ... Washington ... and various other ... Rann ... of Ireland ... of arms on the ... which ... pealed, covering the entire trophy, thus ... emblematic of the thirty-five States.

On every hand one was ... the most memorable year 1865 had been ... a final suppression of the most unhappy ... of the future ... of peace ... of Ireland were about to ... of war, in a struggle for their national ... commenced at nine o'clock. Where ... Herald, from twelve to fifteen were ... by our Hermann's Band and ... several hours near the ... evening. At 12 o'clock supper was ... portion of the large assembly were also ... at the first table. In this ... and the ladies first took seat. The ... ditto, no doubt did the very best they ... circumstances but the ... of ... to have let couples ... into the ... tables were ... copied, and the ... went on with the dance. There is ... necessity, for a large ... of each occasions in this ... Capt. McCormick, of the Fenian Guard ... Capt. Williams' company the Washington ... led by Lieut. Young, and the ... also presided at the right of the ... members of the press were there ... The supper was sufficient of ... more respects than one. All did honor ... to those tables, and it was ... Music was in good ... Hall, and the character of the dishes ... poet. After the cloth was ... the order Col Mitch... well-timed and spirited speech, in ... the cause of Irish independence. He ... and the sitting closed with song ... by Mr Lumsden, humbly ... which was entitled, "The Fenian ... was presented to Capt McCormick ... and was joyous until near the dawn ... the events will long be remembered by ... Because it was to be present.

... On Monday numerous of our citi... house," and many were the calls from ... to pay their respects to friends and ... private, receiving and exchanging the ... First to the advent of 1866. This ... in this country with New York city ... to the settlement of the town by ... which has always been imitated with ... in all parts of the civilized world ... city been carried out more successfully ... than was the case in Portland last ... we are, so remote from the "shad ... most distant portion of the north... Americans in America" would be ... order which pervades our society ... Howes freely, coffee and tea, ... were abundant, and a few ... were entertained. The ... cordials tablets went into the ... observation discovered nothing to ... these calls the slightest ... a modest and moral community ... when they set Oregonians down for ... that there is a greater amount ... than any would suppose, upon taking ... outside appearance. But one ... to prove that any Portlander had ... other than coffee—he said when ... his hand four napkins in his ... be acquainted for in no other man... of mind, he is known to be ... depositing such articles to his own ... The day was happily spent, and may we ... associations formed, by this system of ... in our city on Monday, may be of ma...

... Improvement.—Sometime since, it ... the committee on streets and public ... No 1 to postpone the letting of the ... improvement on First street, believ... property holders had a preference for the ... Had the property holders petition... ... were, the Council were disp... to be signed for a business street, nor ... good as the Nicolson pavement. But no ... has been presented, and the committee now ... the letting of the McAdam contract. We ... the property holders will interest themselves ... the subject, they will present the Nic... to any other kind of street, and find that ... carrip, it can be laid down twenty-five ... than that on Front street, and with the ... every way as pleasant, will be the most eco... portion of the large assembly were also ... makes a good road, but it is cer... for a street in which the beauty of a ... is wanted. There appears to be less ex... the Nicolson pavement than many sup... to its introduction here, and ... nothing in the world so elegant for the ... like, inclined to believe that the people of ... will but consult their own interest, ... a new set, and we know it to ... that a portion of the Council, that they ... the reference to be amended, or re... allow the laying down of the Nicolson ... street. petition from the required ... acted at the meeting of the board on ... the only suit that will save the expense ... street pavement.

... Item, Style.—We notice that an Ore... or Ohio paper has fallen into one of ... in Western people, but of which ... be the least troubled; that of ... localities. To show the ig... ... dent on this question we quote ... Feb 14th, 1866: "A detach... ... has arrived on Powder ... from Grand Ronde valley, and at ... are making preparations to erect forti... ... which will afford ... the point at ... fearful that ... Regular protection is only necessary to ... ... has been extended immediately to ... ... in the world." That the Indi... ... about Powder river have been ... ... that the protection is only neces... ... localities the richest in the world, is ... ... that protection is asked for, ma... ... that we have Gen Sully here, ... to say so? The Powder river ... ... erected his fortifications in a little ... ... from Grand Ronde valley. It is ... ... of the Rocky mountains, between ... ... City and the Missouri river, and is in ... ... Owyhee campaign.

... Drama.—The theatre was well attended ... ... to witness the drama entitled, "Iron ... ... "Charles the Twelfth," the new com... ... Hall," and other attractions. Mrs ... ... of the Green," which brought ... ... the subject of much comment in ... ... Lessee of this talented and pleas... ... Monday evening the entertainment began with ... ... followed by the "Iron King," etc. ... This evening has been set apart as ... ... and particular request—The ... ... and the comedy of the "Actress by Day ... ... Tuesday. During the evening Mrs ... ... Sheridan's ride" and there will be a ... ... Mrs. Phelps and Mrs McDonald will ap... ... will be a full house in this ... ... is certainly entitled to a crowding ... ... in the characters selected for the ... ... fail to producing desirable effects

... A market wagon was left by the driver on ... ... street, while he delivered a package ... ... What the returned to the street ... ... horses were seen turning down Stark ... ... running on the two starboard wheels ... ... down Stark street the horses took up ... ... the crossing of Washington the box of ... ... fisher with its contents were left on the ... ... horse went on. By standing on Burn... ... on a ball on Columbia street, but not ... ... a wreck of matter not worth picking up ... ... axle-trees, etc. The cause of the ... ... was that a drove of fat cattle were ... ... the place he was standing; and the ... ... and speeches of the hurricane frighted ... ... Hitch your horses and save trouble.

... County Court.—Deady, J. Tuesday, Jan 2d ... ... st. School District No 1, et al was ... ... hearing until the 2d Monday in February ... ... Mc Allister case, ——— vs Nesbit; judgment ... ... answer for $2,200. Dodge et al vs ... ... Tracy vs Brodder and Bradford; de... ... ley, argued and submitted. This is an ... ... from the defendants what the plaintiff ... ... excess of tax collected of him as assessor ... ... until this morning at 10 o'clock.

... We are in receipt of the Montana ... ... 9th, the Idaho *World* of December 16th, ... 12th of Dec 9th, and the Walla Walla ... ... 13th "Winter reigns and it rains ... ... whole upper country. No boat left for ... ... yesterday, but one will be dispatched to-day ... ... Fargo & Co's messenger will accompa...

... She who is dissatisfied with a certain ar... informed that we pay ... cents in ... tions. If the evil complained of ... should at least have furnished us with ... might know to whom we were indebt... calling our attention to the fact. N... are in no wise inclined to start off on a ...

... Mr. T. G. Young, having qualified and en... ... as Chief Engineer of the Fire De... ... tendered his resignation as ... Engine Co No 3. In accepting ... Young gave Mr Young a hand... ... for his late efficient services.

The Cholera.—All the prominent medical men of New York, and other cities of the United States, it is said are organizing themselves in the study of the cholera, in the city of course, as there have been no cases, but ... other new and interesting subjects for study, ... calling diseases at the time. The message to Buffalo by ... which would be received by the ... with keen regard and ... Dr ... New York recently delivered a lecture upon the ... the cholera. Here in this city and the claims ... to be well treated by death both refu... He has had a ... case ... Dr ... is ... extraordinary ... The ... first attack ... the ... ... unfailing ... ... the spirit ... Dr Post ... ... has been applied in the wards ... ... however failed ... result in the ... and rapid ... of the patient. It is ... Dr ... that the patient should ... the ... ... pasture, from the very ... of the ... until the ... very.

Lecture To-night.—Rev Father Bachard, S J, will deliver an ... lecture, at the Catholic Church, this ... ... ing, as ... this may be the last discourse delivered by ... ... previous to his departure for Victoria, ...

The British Press on the "Shenandoah"

[From the London Post, November 8th.]

Captain Waddell did not believe that the Confederacy had collapsed, and he continued to capture and destroy the unhappy whalers. One and all concurred in telling him the same story, but with the same result—he remained there and, instead of steering for a run port where he might have obtained trustworthy information pursued his career of destruction with unabated zeal. At length, however, he met with an English vessel which contained the same story of the story so often told him but only by Yankee whalers, and the accounts of the surrender which he made on the occasion of meeting an English ship in the port of Liverpool no further check upon the guns and ammunition in the hold of the vessel and steered for England. Such is the substance of Captain Waddell's excuse for having continued to destroy American vessels after his authority to do so had come to an end, and the important question arises whether it should be accepted as a justification of acts confessedly wrongful. Every whaling vessel destroyed by the *Shenandoah* after the fall of the Confederate Government was *primâ facie* sunk by a pirate, but the presumption of piracy would be rebutted by the captain showing that he had not been made aware of the termination of his authority. It would be, of course, be requisite that he should have notice of the extinction of his commission before he set the necessity of things he could not receive such notice from his own Government, which would have ceased to exist, and with the Government of the enemy he could have none but hostile relations. The only question then in the case is whether the concurrent testimony of several American whalers ought not at least to have created such doubts in the mind of Captain Waddell as would have made it incumbent on him to ascertain whether their assertions were true. Piracy is an offense against the laws of nations, and the Captain and the crew of the *Shenandoah* are amenable to the jurisdiction of English Courts for that offense as they would, if captured, have been to that of the American Courts. It will therefore, be a grave question for the consideration of the English Government whether the reasons assigned for his conduct by Captain Waddell shall be accepted as a sufficient justification or whether it will be expedient to submit that issue to the decision of a jury.

THE QUESTION OF THE SHENANDOAH DAMAGES

[From the London *News*, November 7th.]

The *Shenandoah* has arrived in a British port and surrendered to a British officer. The American may be inclined to say that this is what it should be, that it was only fitting her and should be as British as her origin; but we cannot help asking how it is that this cruiser has been able to carry her course without the least interruption from the navy of the United States? We have heard of her in various parts of the world, dealing destruction and scattering dismay among merchantmen, whalers and other unarmed vessels, but no war vessel of the United States appears to have molested her. Is it possible that the expectation of recovering from this country compensation for the losses resulting from her depredations has made the Government and the people of the United States less eager for her capture than they otherwise would have been? If the world generally should come to that conclusion, from observing the impunity which Captain Waddell has so long enjoyed, it would be one of the strongest practical arguments against the admission of such liability as Seward is just now endeavoring to establish against this country. It is stated that Captain Waddell has forwarded a letter to Lord Russell, the contents of which are at present unknown; but it is understood that the first intimation he received of the termination of hostilities was on the 30th of August last, from the *Barracouta*, when he immediately disarmed the ship, put his guns into the hold, and at once arrived at Liverpool.

WADDELL'S IGNORANCE PROBABLY WILFUL.

[From the London Telegraph, November 8th.]

The penal liability of this famous cruiser and her officers and crew, is a question of facts, not of law. Supposing that Captain Waddell really knew, or had adequate means of knowing, that the conflict had ceased there can be no doubt as to the criminal nature of his subsequent acts of hostility. If, after sufficient notice that the North and South were at peace, he attacked a single vessel, he became a pirate—his crime was beyond all dispute, piracy, pure and simple. If, however, his later captures are attributable to ignorance, real and involuntary, not stimulated or willful, his ship retained her former character and privileges as a duly commissioned ship of war, and the officers and crew are not criminally responsible. The issue is one of facts. The law of nations will all allow the lapse of a reasonable period for the spread of intelligence, and it is just possible that four months intervened between the final overthrow of the Confederate cause and Captain Waddell's knowledge of the fact. But it is certainly not what difficult to believe that he had not such information. According to a sensible adage, which is often applied in cases of this kind, a man cannot be allowed to shut his eyes and say that he cannot see. The long interval between the conclusion of the war and the surrender of the *Shenandoah*, and the frequency of her communications with English and French ships certainly favor the hypothesis that the crew were really aware, or strongly suspected, that peace had been restored, and that, with the reckless indifference to legal consequences which is one of the most obvious features of the American character, they prolonged their combatant course from a spirit of bravado or vindictiveness.

THE HONOR AND SAFETY OF THE COUNTRY DEMAND HIS TRIAL.

[From the London Star, Nov. 8th.]

The honor of the country and the supremacy of the law alike demand that the captain and crew should be put on their trial. Although we have had during the war abundant evidence of the inefficiency of the Custom's authorities at Liverpool, we can scarcely credit the story that while the armament of the vessel was accepted the Captain and crew were allowed to escape without the instruction of the Government being taken. If this be true it has been added to the many already committed in connection with those privateers, it only lays it upon the Government of the duty of more carefully sifting about their reception. The *Sea King* sailed from London only in October 1864, after the whole country knew the efforts the Government had made to put a stop to the fitting out of the Alexandra, and after it was known to everybody that these privateers were likely to bring the nation into trouble. It will be vain to endeavor to avoid war if the Executive is not strong enough to enforce the statute. In this case the parties who fitted out the ship and enlisted the men dared the Government to do its worst. Unfortunately the limitation of actions provided for by the statute may permit the escape of the more culpable parties in London and Liverpool, who were the principals in the transaction. The trial, however, of the Captain and crew may serve as a much needed warning to the population of Liverpool, and will show to foreign nations that we have not altogether given up the idea of controlling those of our own subjects who levy war on their own account from English ports.

Loyalty of the Southern People.

A Southern correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* takes the following judicious observations on the "loyalty" of the Southern people. The justness of his views must be apparent to every one. The manner in which this observant correspondent discriminates between the "loyalty" and "patriotism" of the South, fully expresses the state of feeling which exists in that section:

In applying the term "loyalty" to the people of the late rebellious States, the distinction between that and "patriotism" must be carefully observed. Strictly speaking, the South may at this time, be called loyal. If the question whether to obey or disobey any law of the United States were to-day presented to Mississippi or Alabama, there would be no discussion on it. The popular voice would be almost unanimous in favor of obedience. This would be so because the people of those States have learned to respect the majesty of the law. They have become so thoroughly imbued with the idea—now to them—that there is a great central power in this Government which will forever control its fractious parts. The fact that this change has taken place in their minds is evinced in all their private conversations. They have their endless list of grievances, their hundred and one faults to find and their blame to mete out, but in all their talk there is not one word of *threatening*. I doubt whether in the two States above mentioned, there could be a corporal's guard found of men who believe that there can ever be a successful rebellion in the South. Any other mode of obtaining redress for grievances will henceforth be regarded as better than that.

That this loyalty is a simple acquiescence to that which the fortune of war has decreed no one will pretend to deny. There is, withal, too much frankness among the Southern people to allow them to lay claim to anything like patriotism. If ever they had what is called "love of country," it is very certain there is none of it left except. Indeed, among the small class who have yielded allegiance to any Government but that of the United States. But I repeat there is frankness in the South. A Southern man will receive you into his house and treat you to the best he has, but you will not fail to learn, meanwhile that he believes every Yankee to be an unprincipled wretch. His wife will very likely show you a photographed on which Jeff Davis and Wilkes Booth occupy the first place together while Abraham Lincoln and John Brown come modestly in the last place. If you hear a negro swear in your presence, freedom it is not on account of the person in the room but because he supposes it to be the special friend of the South.

Not less a man who is so bitter in his hatred of the North who carves the defenders of the Union as their enemies, who only honors the rebellion, the United States Government, and individual who refuses him to entertain ideas favorable to Southern interests then in, with all propriety, be permitted to hold in the least office in the future of the Union is concerned. He submits without reserve to the decision of the sword. He tells you frankly that though he cannot now love the old flag, he intends to respect it, and hence will not join a law abiding citizen. To what extent, however, he is sincere in doing that he will be governed by circumstances. Here there is reason to doubt his word when he tells you that he will henceforth obey and respect the laws of the United States. We certainly can afford to grant him the common instinct of self preservation. How long he will take this loyalty to grow into patriotism is not easy to say. To judge from private conversations of the people, it would seem that the good time when there should be a union of heart and a union of hand is yet very far distant. In my opinion it is not so far off, however, as the Southern people themselves believe it to be. It is hard to place a proper estimate on the expressions of a people who are governed in all their acts by impulse, and that is preeminently the character of the Southern people. They cannot occupy a middle ground on any subject. As conquerors they would be the most haughty people in the world, but as conquered, they are the most effectually subdued and pliant.

THE MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE.—The Mississippi Legislature recently debated two hours and a half whether or not to raise the stars and stripes over their Capitol. The motion was vehemently opposed, but the majority resolved to remember that they were not yet completely reconstructed, and considered it a matter of prudence to post pone their prejudices and vote for the flag. They showed themselves more politic than the State which refuses to organize under the Union flag.

[PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.]

LAWS OF OREGON.

Passed at the Second Special Session of the Legislative Assembly, held December 1865.

AN ACT To amend section 5 of "Act creating offices and providing for the government of the Penitentiary," approved October 21, 1864.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon.

Section 1. That section 5 of an act entitled "An act creating offices and providing for the government of the penitentiary," approved October 21, 1864, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows, to wit: Section 5. The superintendent shall make a report quarterly to the Secretary of State, containing a statement of all liabilities incurred by him as such officer, also the amount of labor performed by the prisoners, for whom, and the value thereof, the amount of money collected, and the persons from whom collected, which money shall be paid into the treasury of the State within fifteen days after the end of each fiscal quarter. He shall also, on the first Monday of September, 1866, and on the same day of every alternate year thereafter make a report to the Governor, containing a full statement of the condition of the institution, and of its expenditures and liabilities and earnings.

Approved December 18, 1865.

AN ACT to improve the breed of Sheep.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon.

Section 1. That if any ram shall be found running at large out of the enclosure of its owner, between the first day of June and the first day of November, it shall be lawful for any householder to take up such ram, and if the owner thereof be known to him, it shall be the duty of the person taking up such ram to give notice forthwith to the owner, of the taking up of such ram by him, and if, thereupon, the owner require a restoration of such ram, he shall pay to the taker up thereof the sum of two dollars; but if he refuse to do so, such ram shall be forfeited to the person taking up the same. And if the owner upon restoration of such ram, shall thereafter, within the period aforesaid of the same year, voluntarily or knowingly permit such ram again to run at large, the same shall be forfeited to any person who shall, within the period aforesaid, take up the same.

Sec. 2. That if the owner of any ram so taken up, be not known to the person taking up the same, it shall be his duty forthwith to give notice, by advertisement posted up in three of the most public places in the electing precinct in which he shall reside, of the taking up of such ram, describing therein the natural and artificial marks of, and stating the time of taking up of such ram. And if the owner appears and no claims such ram within ten days from the taking up thereof, he shall pay the taker up, upon the restoration of such ram, the sum of three dollars for the taking up and advertising the same. And if the owner shall appear to re claim such ram, after such ten days, and before the first day of November, he shall pay to the taker up, in addition to the said sum of three dollars twenty five cents per week for the keeping of such ram; but if the owner shall not re-claim such ram within three months from the taking up thereof, the same shall be forfeited to such taker up; and if the owner, who shall have re claimed any such ram, shall there after, and before the first day of November, voluntarily and knowingly permit such ram again to run at large, the same shall be forfeited to any person who shall take up the same.

Approved, December 18, 1865.

AN ACT to appropriate money for the payment of the present Legislative Assembly.

Section 1. *Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon.* That there be appropriated the sum of five thousand dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary, for the pay and mileage of the members and the pay of the clerks and officers of the Legislative Assembly.

Sec. 2. Inasmuch as there has been no provision made for the payment of that for which this appropriation is asked, therefore this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, December 18, 1865.

AN ACT to amend "An act to prevent the spread of Contagious or Infectious Diseases among Domestic Animals," approved October 19, 1862.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon.

That sections 1 and 2 of said act are hereby repealed and the following enacted in lieu thereof.

Section 1. That no person or company of persons shall bring or cause to be brought into this state sheep horses, hogs, cattle or domestic animals of any description, knowing them to be affected by any contagious or infectious disease, under penalty of a fine of not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars for each diseased animal so brought or introduced, said fine to be collected by action brought for that purpose, before any court having competent jurisdiction, in the county where such animal or animals were introduced, and to be paid into the county treasury of said county, for the use and benefit of common schools, and such action may be brought by any person injured by the introduction of such diseased animal or animals into the county where such animals are brought.

Sec. 2. Any person or company of persons now or hereafter having ownership of, or bailment or rent or lease, or any interest in, or the care of any animal or animals affected be contagious or infectious diseases, shall keep such animals within an enclosure, or in a distinct secure from the contact with other animals. Any person wilfully or knowingly violating the provisions of this section, shall be liable to the same fine as provided for in the first section of this act.

Sec. 3. That owing to the present exigencies of the case this act shall take effect and be in force from after its approval by the governor.

Approved December 18, 1865.

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J. PATTERSON, Principal.

Portland, Dec. 15, 1865. dtf

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PASSENGERS CARRIED AS GREATLY REDUCED RATES. Parties will be furnished with Supplies and Camping Outfits for Riding Through Wagons on the most Liberal Terms. Wagons will run night on the Road as good and Convenient Stations so that passengers will not be delayed or fatigue lost.

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Proprietors.

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Sheriff's Sale.

BY VIRTUE of several executions to me directed, issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Multnomah in favor of J. H. Mitchell and J. N. Dolph, William Sherlock and C. M. Bacon and Samuel Stover, plaintiffs, and against John L. Nickum, defendant, I have this day levied on all of the defendant's interest in and to the following described real estate, to wit: Part of section (31) (N. E.) containing (40) acres, situated in Multnomah county, and lots 6, 7, 8, 9 and 8, in block (250) in the city of Portland, and will proceed to sell the same at public auction in front of the Court House door in Multnomah county, to the highest bidder, on Friday, the 26th day of January, A. D. 1866 at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. as follows on executions in favor of Mitchell & Dolph and Samuel Stover, amounting to about $770 00 (three hundred and seventy dollars,) same to be satisfied in gold coin of the United States and an execution in favor of Sherlock & Bacon amounting to about $360 00, same to be satisfied in United States Legal Tender Notes.

JACOB STITZEL,
Sheriff of Multnomah county, Oregon.

Portland Dec. 26, 1865. 21w d&w

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All kinds of REPAIRING promptly done.

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HENRY WAGNER.

Portland, Nov. 3, 1865. dtf

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WILL ALWAYS KEEP ON HAND the Best of *MEATS OF ALL VARIETIES*, and other articles in their line WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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A liberal Share of Patronage is solicited, as we expect to keep as good an assortment and as good quality as the country affords, and will deliver the same to purchasers in all parts of the city.

Kosher Meat constantly on hand.

Portland, March 4th, 1865. dtf

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I WILL KEEP ON HAND all the varieties of FRESH AND CURED MEATS that the market affords for sale at either of the above Markets, at Wholesale or Retail.

Give me a call one and all, and we will try to make you all satisfied. (jn23dtf) A. H. JOHNSON.

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16,000 lbs KONA COFFEE.

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Portland August 29th 1865. dtf

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IN CLACKAMAS COUNTY, FOURTEEN MILES from Oregon City and 25 miles from Portland, containing 640 acres, 100 of which are fenced and in a good state of cultivation, and a good orchard of twenty acres of the best fruit in the country. Thirty and a half miles and half timber. There is on the place a good two story house, a frame and a distillery for making apple brandy nearly ready to run.

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It will be sold at a price very much below its actual value. For particulars apply to

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Portland Dec 12, 1865. dtf

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AN OMNIBUS will attend all the Boats and convey Passengers and their baggage to the House free of Charge, or to any other House in the City for 50 cents.

B. GOFFIN, Proprietor.

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Wheat.

CASH PAID FOR CLEAN WHITE WHEAT at the Portland Steam Mills.

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FAMILY GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

Bread and Stores delivered to any part of the City Free of Charge.

Orders from a Distance carefully filled and promptly dispatched.

Portland June 22d 1865. dtf

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MESSRS. PHELAN & COLLENDER

WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL THE ATTENTION of Capitalists and others, Billiard Tables to the Trade, that they are now manufacturing their Celebrated Billiard Tables of the Combination Cushions, which established

At the Billiard Congress of 1863, composed of all the first players of the United States, it was unanimously decided that the Combination Cushions were the best, and all matches for the Championship were played on Billiard Tables.

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dec6-3m PHELAN & COLLENDER.

Public Sale of Land,

FOR DELICIT STATE ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of warrants issued by order of the County Court of the City of Portland and to me directed, commanding me to levy upon and sell or cause to be sold such of the pieces and parcels of land hereinafter described, to collect a delicit assessed upon said parcels of land as declared by Ordinance No. 26 for the improvement of Front street between Pine and Morrison streets in said city, and which delicit has not been paid and is now delinquent.

Now, in pursuance of said warrants I have levied upon and on the 15th day of January, A. D. 1866 will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Court House door in the city of Portland County of Multnomah and State of Oregon, to make the said delicit costs and expenses of sale each of the following described parcels of land, situated in the city of Portland, county and State aforesaid, to-wit:—

NO. OF BLOCK	NO. OF LOT	OWNER	AMOUNT OF DELICIT
78	N½ 1	W. W. Chapman,	22 60
"	N½ 2	" "	21 20
77	N½ 1	C. M. Carter,	24 70
"	S½ 1	" "	22 80
"	S½ 2	" "	22 80
2	N½ 1	" "	22 80
"	S½ 1	" "	22 80

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock A. M. of the day above named and continue from day to day until all are sold.

Payments to be made in United States gold and silver coin.

HENRY L. HOTT,
Marshal of the City of Portland.

Dated, this 5th day of December, 1865. d&w

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THE UNDERSIGNED have received direct from Victoria, the following celebrated Brands of COGNACS, viz:

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And respectfully invite the public of Portland and the people at large to give them a call at their New Factory, No. 122 First street, where the best of Wines, Liquors and Syrups are offered for sale, wholesale and retail, at the lowest price for CASH.

Portland Nov. 16, 1865. dtf L. VIAL & PERRY.

To Surveyors.

NOTICE is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the City Council of Oregon City proposals will be received by the undersigned up to the 1st day of January, 1866, for a full and complete survey of Oregon City; each lot and block therein to be accurately staked and the beginning corner of each block designated by a stone monument properly numbered, &c. Full particulars in regard to this contract can be obtained on application to either of the undersigned at Oregon City. Said work to be addressed to Chairman Com. on Streets, City, endorsed "Proposals for the Survey of Oregon City."

W. W. BUCK,
THOS CHARMAN,
WM BARLOW,
Special Committee of said City Council.

1911

Dissolution Notice.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing in the RISING SUN SALOON between Monaghan & Wise is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the firm must be paid to Jas Monaghan, who will settle all just claims against the late firm on demand.

Portland, Dec 2, 1865. JAS MONAGHAN,
dec4dtf JOSEPH WISE.

For Sale.

THE NORTH HALF of Block 250 in the City of Portland. Apply to A. HAMILTON,
Ninth Street, between Washington & Alder.

Portland November 2, 1865. 1m

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NICHOLAS TUMSDEN the Premium Boot Maker, has removed his manufacturing establishment from Alder to Front street, opposite the Post Office.

Portland, Nov 8, 1865. FRANKLIN BOOK STORE.

Lyon's California Ale.

THE UNDERSIGNED AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF this justly celebrated brand of ALE will sell it at San Francisco cost, and freight added. Will also buy the empty barrels and half barrels.

RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

For Sale.

A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE.
Apply to PARRISH & HOLMAN,
REAL ESTATE OFFICE,
No. 80 Front Street.

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BRAN & SHORTS FOR SALE.

A SMALL lot at Sevier & Co.'s Improved Mill. Bring Bran and Shorts can together with the same delivered in the boats at Oregon City for $30 per ton. Sacks must always accompany orders.

n23 tf WM. BARLOW.

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PLEASANTLY LOCATED FOR DWELLINGS. Title Perfect. Terms Liberal. Apply to

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BUTTER! BUTTER!

AN EXTRA CHOICE LOT OF OREGON BUTTER packed and in brine.

Also a superior lot of NEW ISSUE MESS BUTTER, for sale by RICHARDS & McCRAKEN.

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